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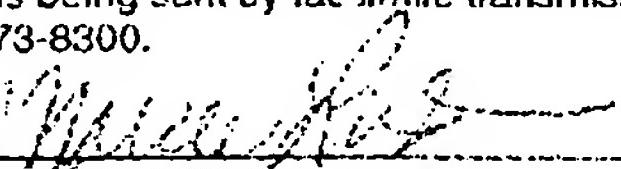
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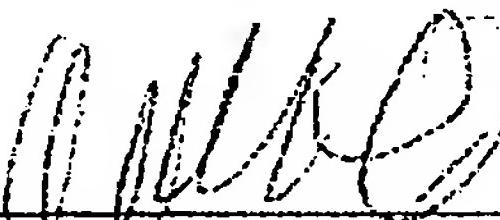
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Dear Sir:

U.S. Patent Application Serial Number 10/711,176 was filed on August 30, 2004 with an unsigned Declaration and Power of Attorney. The Declaration and Power of Attorney is submitted herewith. Please charge any fees associated herewith to deposit account 11040.

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Respectfully submitted,



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DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY  
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As a below named inventor, we hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

HEAVY OIL AND BITUMEN UPGRADING

the specification of which: (check one)

- is attached hereto.  
 was filed on \_\_\_\_\_ as Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations. §1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed.

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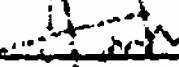
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